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June 16, 2010

Mr. Daniel G. Wheeland, Director
Office of Research Facilities Development and Operations
National Institute of Health
B13/2W64
9000 Rockville Pike
Bethesda, Maryland 20852

Re: Final Environmental Impact Statement for the National Institute of Health, Transport of Laboratory Personnel Potentially Exposed to Infectious Agents from Fort Detrick, Frederick, MD to the National Institutes of Health Clinical Center, Bethesda, MD (CEQ #20100168)

Dear Mr. Wheeland:

In accordance with the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969 and Section 309 of the Clean Air Act, the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) continues to have no objections to the above referenced project as stated in our letter of July 24, 2009.

Thank you for providing EPA with the opportunity to review this project. If you need assistance in the future, the staff contact for this project is Ms. Jamie Davis at 570-842-1044 or by email at davis.jamie@epa.gov.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Barbara J. Rudnick", is positioned above the typed name.

Barbara J. Rudnick
NEPA Team Leader
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